

Allenstown Reports.

1897.

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, HIGHWAY AGENTS,
SCHOOL BOARD, AND LIBRARY TRUSTEES,

OF THE

TOWN OF ALLENTOWN,

FOR THE

Year Ending February 15, 1897.

With a Catalogue of the Additions made during the Year
to the Allentown Free Library.

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TOWN OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1896-'97

SELECTMEN.

FRANK E. BLODGETT.
CHARLES L. CLEVELAND.
WILLIAM D. MARDEN.

TREASURER.

CURTIS E. DALTON.

TOWN CLERK.

ALPHONSE LACASSE.

COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

JOHN G. BARTLETT.

HIGHWAY AGENTS.

CHARLES L. BAKER.
JOHN S. HAYES.
GEORGE DOWST.

SUPERVISORS.

JOHN B. HASELTON.
CHARLES PAQUET.
JOHN G. GORDON.

AUDITOR.

CHARLES H. SMITH.

FISH AND GAME WARDENS.

THOMAS WELCH.
CHARLES P. EMERY.
JOHN P. BATCHELDER.

SCHOOL-BOARD.

CHARLES H. SMITH.
MRS. H. P. HASELTON.
C. E. DALTON.

TRUSTEES OF TOWN LIBRARY.

JOHN H. SULLIVAN, for 1 year.
CHARLES H. SMITH, appointed to fill
vacancy for 1 year.
MRS. JENNIE E. BLODGETT, for 3 years.

LIBRARIAN.

MRS. ARIANNAH W. SULLIVAN.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1897.

The sum which must be raised by taxation in 1897, according to law, will be nearly as follows :

State tax,	\$1,395.00
County tax,	1,534.00
School tax,	1,395.00
Highway tax,	1,200.00
Library fund,	83.70
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	\$5,607.70

To these must be added the annual appropriation	
for electric lights,	446.40
and for hydrant service,	525.00
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Total,	\$6,579.10

INVENTORY FOR 1896.

Polls, 301,	\$30,100.00
Real estate,	239,682.00
Non-resident estates,	46,895.00
Horses, 123,	7,625.00
Oxen, 10,	425.00
Cows, 98,	2,415.00
Neat stock, 12,	210.00
Sheep, 60,	185.00
Carriages, 1,	100.00
Money at interest,	11,000.00
Stock in trade,	69,725.00
Mills and machinery,	238,750.00
Buildings not otherwise specified,	350.00
Swine,	50.00
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	\$647,512.00

WARRANT.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

{ L. S. }

To the inhabitants of the town of Allenstown, County of Merrimack, in said state, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Selectmen's office, at the brick school-house, in said Allenstown, on Tuesday, the ninth day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.
2. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriations for the same.
3. To see if the town will vote to pay the tuition of such Allenstown scholars at Pembroke academy as shall pass an examination which would qualify them to enter a high school, examination to be conducted by school-board of Allenstown. (By request.)
4. To see if the town will vote to instruct the highway agent to pave Main street from the Pembroke line to Depot street, so called, and will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money sufficient to accomplish the same.
5. To see if the town will vote to lay a sewer in Ferry street, from Main street to some point on the line of the Boston & Maine railroad at China (so called). (By request.)
6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum sufficient to carry the above article into effect, or will authorize the selectmen to issue town notes signed by the selectmen and treasurer for sufficient sums to cover the expense.
7. To see if the town will vote to appropriate five dollars for the observance of Memorial Day. (By request.)

8. To see if the town will make a by-law substantially as follows: Any person owning or having the care or custody of any horse, swine, neat cattle, sheep, or other such domestic animals, who shall allow any such animal to go at large in the highway or other public place in the town of Allenstown, shall pay a penalty not exceeding ten dollars for each offense, the same to enure, one half to the use of the person who shall sue for the same, and the other half to the use of the said town.

9. To hear the reports of the town officers for the past year, and pass any vote relating thereto.

Given under our hands and seal the twentieth day of February, in the year eighteen hundred ninety-seven.

FRANK E. BLODGETT,
WM. D. MARDEN,
CHAS. L. CLEVELAND,
Selectmen of Allenstown.

A true copy. Attest:

FRANK E. BLODGETT,
WM. D. MARDEN,
CHAS. L. CLEVELAND,
Selectmen of Allenstown.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

The accounts of the selectmen of Allentown for the fiscal year ending Feb. 15, 1897, are as follows :

Dr.

ASSETS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR.

Taxes of 1895, in hands of Charles L.		
Cleveland, collector,	\$374.23	
Cash in treasurer's hands,	3.47	
	<hr/>	\$377.70

TAXES ASSESSED APRIL 1, 1896.

State, county, town, and school taxes upon		
polls and ratable estates of residents,	\$7,207.40	
State, county, town, and school taxes upon		
estates of non-residents,	562.74	
	<hr/>	\$7,770.14

RECEIVED FROM STATE TREASURER.

Railroad tax,	\$251.54	
Savings bank tax,	693.89	
Literary fund,	52.50	
	<hr/>	\$997.93

RECEIVED FROM JOHN B. HASELTON, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

One half fines in 19 malt liquor cases,	\$95.00
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RECEIVED INTEREST ON TAXES.

From Chas. L. Cleveland, collector in 1895,	\$8.13	
J. G. Bartlett, collector in 1896,	3.17	
	<hr/>	\$11.30

RECEIVED FROM TOWN CLERK.

For dog licenses,		\$81.00
Received for peddlers' license,	\$2.00	
of G. A. Dube, pool table license,	10.00	
of David Daneau, " " "	10.00	
Elzeard Douville, " " "	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$32.00
From William Haselton, for note,		\$300.00
H. K. Barnes, freight on hose carriage,	\$5.45	
state treasurer, bounty on hawks,	1.75	
	<hr/>	\$7.20
From Suncook Water Works Co., for pipe laid by town,		\$1,862.90
Received of county of Merrimack for aid of county paupers as follows :		
Simon Drew,	\$34.00	
H. Langlois,	60.50	
George Willette,	3.00	
Michael Valle,	134.50	
Mrs. Jos. Tebo,	33.28	
Anna Hough,	37.50	
George Townes,	88.25	
P. Gonyo,	10.00	
Felix Lechance,	14.00	
Mrs. J. Allie,	59.35	
A. Desroches,	38.28	
A. McDonald,	11.50	
Fred White,	6.00	
Mary Millette,	52.15	
Alfred Hamel,	11.08	
Damase Forcier,	12.50	
Mrs. Chas. Desjarlets,	28.86	
Israel Proulx,	16.00	
Mrs. Louis Doneau,	70.28	
Mrs. George Tuttle,	10.08	

Mrs. Octave Milyou,	\$7.00	
Moses Donais,	15.00	
Mrs. Jos. Cartier,	48.00	
Mrs. Bridget Hendron,	69.70	
Mrs. Jos. Petrin,	18.00	
William B. Prescott,	23.72	
Transients,	24.69	
Ed Gilbert,	22.50	
	<hr/>	\$959.72
Dependent soldiers :		
William Clark,	\$130.00	
William S. Shepard,	5.00	
Charles Ayer,	113.00	
Thomas Lindsay,	90.77	
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		\$12,833.66

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PAYMENTS, by orders drawn on the town treasurer, as follows :

1896, April 8 :

James C. Marden, labor on highway to Mar. 10, \$72.24

April 18 :

John S. Hayes, labor on highway, 43.94

Mrs. R. A. Drought, cleaning selectmen's room, 3.00

J. M. Pearson, dinners for town officers, 8.00

Charles L. Baker, highway work to Mar. 5, 42.45

May 6 :

Ed Bush, board of Mary Millette, 12.72

George Dowst, highway work in April, 52.84

John S. Hayes, " " 71.93

Mrs. Olive Truesdell, rent for Simon Drew, 7.00

June 3 :

Charles L. Baker, highway work to June 1, 85.65

George Dowst, " " 64.56

John S. Hayes, " " 78.05

James P. Melzer, book of dog licenses, 1.75

Jos. Noreau, fees, <i>State v. Bradford</i> ,	\$10.01
E. Lane, printing,	3.50
Republican Press Association, printing,	58.00
Edson C. Eastman, blank books,	6.73
Rev. T. C. Russell, return of marriages,	.50
School board, cash paid for books,	49.60
School board, part school money,	500.00
W. N. Johnston, tickets for county paupers,	15.00

July 1 :

George Dowst, highway work in June,	65.31
Chas. L. Baker, " "	212.30
John S. Hayes, " "	34.45
A. N. Lacasse, printing ballots,	2.05
John S. Hayes, fighting forest fires,	27.00
F. E. Blodgett, supplies for county paupers,	52.25
C. L. Baker, fighting forest fires,	11.50
J. E. Fernald, cashier, note and interest,	634.43

Aug. 5.

John S. Hayes, fighting forest fires,	\$10.12
" " highway work in July,	26.70
Warren Abbott, county tax,	1,546.00
D. L. Jewell, agent, use of land for electric light poles,	2.00
Garvin's Falls Power Co., lights to July 1,	133.00
Dean & Westbrook, bridge railing,	131.83
Ed. Bush, board of Mary Millette,	13.00
Charles E. Johnson, enumeration of school children,	10.50
F. E. Hartford, witness fees, <i>County v. William B. Prescott</i> ,	2.74
William D. Marden, part payment, services as selectman,	50.00
F. E. Blodgett, part payment, services as selectman,	75.00
S. E. McConnell, fighting forest fires,	15.00
William D. Marden, cash paid for fighting forest fires,	35.12

Sept. 2 :

Joseph Noreau, fees, <i>State v. A. Bradford</i> ,	6.62
School board, part school money,	500.00
Library trustees, part library fund,	40.00

James C. Marden, fighting forest fire,	\$2.25
E. G. Scribner, fighting forest fire,	5.00
George Dowst, highway work in August,	22.89
J. S. Hayes, " "	40.15
Dr. J. R. Pepin, returns, births and deaths,	1.75
Fife & Lancey, painting sign boards,	.90
Suncook Water Works Co., men fighting forest fires.	15.00
Robert McConnell, " "	38.00
Oct. 7.	
George Dowst, highway work to Oct. 1,	3.40
J. S. Hayes, " "	5.87
Charles L. Baker, " "	146.36
Charles A. Bailey, stone for bridge rail,	11.80
Charles A. Bailey, men fighting forest fires,	14.50
S. B. Cofran, Jr., " "	6.00
Republican Press Association, printing town orders,	3.00
Mary St. John, nursing family Ed. Gilbert,	24.50
Nov. 4:	
Ed. Bush, board of Mary Millette,	13.00
Mrs. Andrews, nursing Mrs. George Tuttle,	6.00
John S. Hayes, labor, and cash paid out on bridges,	177.00
John S. Hayes, highway work to Oct. 31,	32.75
Nov. 14:	
Allenstown school board, part school money,	500.00
Joseph Noreau, police fees and costs,	9.50
J. C. McInnis, putting electric light in selectmen's room,	3.00
C. L. Baker, highway work to Nov. 1,	177.14
W. N. Johnston, R. R. tickets for county paupers,	15.50
Head & Dowst Co., iron beams for Bear brook bridge,	38.61
Thomas Welch, fees, State v. William Prescott and Irving Cate,	17.97
Revere Rubber Co., 500 feet of hose,	225.00
Joseph Noreau, part police services,	10.00
Garvin's Falls Power Co., electric lights to Oct. 1,	151.20
Henry K. Barnes, hose carriage and nozzles,	95.00
Joseph Noreau, fees, State v. Joseph Seymour,	9.87

Dec. 2 :

John S. Hayes, labor on bridge,	\$6.20
Charles P. Emery, services as election inspector and special policeman,	7.00
Fred E. Cleveland, police services,	1.00
J. S. Hayes, highway work in November,	14.98
F. E. Blodgett, supplies for county paupers,	51.75
Charles A. Bailey, work on bridges,	619.57
E. M. Bryant, supplies for lights for selectmen's room,	24.91
George L. Fontaine, treasurer, firemen's services,	18.00
Charles L. Baker, highway work in December,	115.39

1897, Jan. 6 :

Ed. Bush, board of Mary Millette,	8.43
Ira N. Morgan, 1 doz. firemen's bells,	7.80
Fellows & Son, hardware for bridges,	4.76
George L. Fontaine, services as ballot inspector,	6.00
George L. Fontaine, treasurer, services of firemen,	40.00
C. R. Emerson, rent of barn for hose house,	16.50
William D. Marden, cash paid for bounty on hawks,	1.25
George H. Batchelder, work on bridges,	43.95
John D. Sweatt, services as supervisor,	13.50
Concord Machine Co., inlet pipes for water trough,	10.00
George F. Batchelder, book case for library,	10.00
Dr. A. M. Levalle, returns of births and deaths,	20.00
Rev. O. J. Desrosier, returns of marriages,	2.50
John S. Hayes, highway work to Dec. 31,	8.25
Mrs. H. P. Haselton, cash paid for school books,	56.74
State treasurer, state tax,	1,395.00
F. E. Blodgett, cash paid for labor on watering trough ditch,	28.02
Joseph Noreau, police services and carrying paupers to farm,	20.00

Feb. 10 :

S. A. Bates & Co., goods furnished dependent soldiers,	106.50
Library trustees, bal. library fund,	43.70
C. P. Morse, goods furnished county paupers,	53.86
Simpson Miller & Co., goods furnished Thomas Myers,	78.00

Simpson Miller & Co., goods furnished county paupers,	\$303.09
Frank Bartlett, goods furnished William Clark,	130.00
Frank Bartlett, goods furnished county paupers,	4.08
Emery Bros. & Co., goods furnished county paupers,	53.95
Joseph Gauthier, rent for Thomas Myers,	41.25
E. Baker & Co., goods for county paupers,	252.88
F. E. Blodgett, goods for county paupers,	77.00
J. M. Pearson, dinners for town officials, Nov. 3,	8.00
Fellows & Son, pipe for water trough,	4.00
A. A. Tarbell & Sons, goods for county paupers,	5.00
B. J. Sanborn & Son, goods for county paupers,	78.00
Garvin's Falls Power Co., lights to Jan. 1,	100.00
Mrs. H. M. Young, abatement highway tax,	3.00
George Dowst, highway work to date,	12.87
Henry Dowst, sheep killed by dogs,	3.50
J. Desrosiers, goods for county paupers,	18.00
A. N. Lacasse, services as town clerk and fees,	38.75
J. H. Sullivan, supervisor and election inspector,	27.00
J. S. Hayes, highway work to date,	30.00
David Hayes, collector, taxes overpaid in 1895,	49.27
I. G. Russ, cash paid for fighting forest fires,	7.25
Ariannah W. Sullivan, services as librarian,	35.00
George Dowst, highway work,	22.53
C. E. Dalton, services on school board and expenses,	30.30
C. E. Dalton, services as town treasurer,	35.00
Suncook Water Works Co., services, pipe to trough, and hydrant repairs,	27.30
J. G. Bartlett, services as tax collector and expenses,	109.28
Suncook Water Works Co., hydrant service to July 1, 1897,	350.00
Thomas Welch, services as policeman,	15.00
Feb. 15 :	
C. H. Smith, services on school board and expense,	30.00
H. P. Haselton, services on school board and expense,	35.95
School board, balance school money,	25.00
C. E. Dalton, supplies for county paupers,	1.40
W. N. Johnston, tickets for county paupers,	9.66

F. E. Blodgett, balance services as selectman and cash paid out,	\$80.76
F. E. Blodgett, supplies for county paupers,	22.75
E. V. Fife, painting safe and guide boards,	10.75
E. Lane, printing,	1.25
William D. Marden, balance services as selectman and expenses,	45.75
C. L. Cleveland, services as selectman and expenses,	116.50
Dr. George F. Munsey, returns of births and deaths,	3.00
L. L. Aldrich, assignee, wood for county paupers,	1.00
John B. Haselton, services in police court and pauper cases,	28.00
C. P. Bridgman, rent of barn for hose house,	4.50
C. L. Baker, highway work to date,	31.25
Albin, Martin & Howe, counsel in R. R. Crossing Case,	20.77
County of Hillsborough, aid of Cyril Denoncourt,	17.00
William Haseltine, note and interest,	315.00
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	\$12,152.45

DISCOUNT on taxes paid before July 1, \$146.38

ABATEMENTS :

On taxes of 1895, Charles L. Cleveland, collector,—

August Begin, poll,	\$1.15
Honore Dube, “	1.15
Esdras Drapeau “	1.15
Wm. Enaire, “	1.15
Wilbur J. Hartford, paid in Epsom,	1.15
Joseph Lampron, poll,	1.15
Alex Petrin, “	1.15
Joseph Petrin, “	1.15
Walter H. Stevens, “	1.15
Urbain Verville, “	1.15
Henry Ward, “	1.15
Cyril Lefebvre, “	1.15
Peter Lesperance, “	1.15
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	\$14.95

On taxes of 1896, J. G. Bartlett, collector,—

Joseph Auger, poll,	\$1.20	
Pilezire Audette, “	1.20	
Joseph Belanger, “	1.20	
Napoleon Dupree “	1.20	
Samuel O. Davis,	1.80	
Orren L. Davis,	3.90	
Elzeard Douville, paid in Pembroke,	1.20	
Francis Emond, overtax,	1.20	
Esdras Drapeau, poll,	1.20	
Peter Erickson, highway,	2.00	
Elzeon Ellis, poll,	1.20	
Clarence W. Hartford, in jail,	1.20	
Mike Hutchins, poll,	1.20	
Joseph Lacasse, highway,	2.00	
Wilbroad Lacourse, poll,	1.20	
Edward Leclaire, “	1.20	
George Neal, “	1.20	
Telesphore Petrin, “	1.20	
Edwin C. Swett, paid in Hooksett,	1.20	
John D. Swett, paid in Pembroke,	1.20	
Wm. D. Bagley, overtax,	2.20	
John T. Cass,	1.80	
Alexander Petrin, poll,	1.20	
Edward Young, paid in Somerville,	1.20	
	<hr/>	\$35.30

ASSETS at end of year, Feb. 15, 1897 :

Taxes of 1895 in hands of Chas. L. Cleveland, collector,	\$139.98	
Cash in treasurer's hands,	344.60	
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		\$12,833.66
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RECAPITULATION.

DR.

Assets at beginning of year,	\$377.70
Taxes assessed in 1896,	7,770.14
Received from dog and other licenses,	113.00
" state treasurer,*	999.68
" J. B. Haselton, one half liquor fines,	95.00
" interest on taxes,	11.30
Borrowed on town note,	300.00
Received freight on hose carriage,	5.45
Received from Suncook Water Works Co.,	1,862.90
" county of Merrimack, for support of pau- pers,	959.72
" county of Merrimack, for support of de- pendent soldiers,	338.77
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	\$12,833.66

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Schools, including cash for books, and salaries and expenses of board,	\$1,743.09
County tax,	1,546.00
Highway expenditures,	1,514.25
State tax.	1,395.00
Bridges,	1,033.72
County paupers,	997.22
Paid notes and interest,	949.43
Fire department, purchase of hose and carriage, and hydrant rent,	774.10
Salaries of selectmen, treasurer, clerk, and other town officials,	566.53
Electric lights,	412.11
Support of dependent soldiers,	338.77
Expense of forest fires,	186.74
Support of town paupers,	151.25
Library, including purchase of books, book-case, and librarian's salary,	128.70

* This amount is \$167.92 less than amount received in previous year.

Police and police court expenses,	\$121.35
Printing reports, blank books, etc.,	76.28
Expense of water trough,	58.02
Return of deaths, births, and marriages,	27.75
Miscellaneous,	132.18
Abatements and discounts,	196.63
Assets,	484.54
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	<u>\$12,833.66</u>

Gross debt of town,	\$2,300.00
Assets,	484.54
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Net debt after deducting assets,	<u>\$1,815.46</u>

FRANK E. BLODGETT,
CHAS. L. CLEVELAND,
WM. D. MARDEN,
Selectmen of Allentown.

ALLENSTOWN, N. H., Feb., 1897.

I have carefully examined the above accounts of the selectmen,
and find them to be correctly cast and properly vouched.

CHAS. H. SMITH,
Auditor.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Report of the treasurer of the town of Allenstown for the year ending Feb. 15, 1897 :

Cash in the treasury Feb. 15, 1896,	\$3.47
Note from Wm. Haseltine,	300.00
C. L. Cleveland, tax for 1895,	227.43
Elzeard Douville, pool table license,	10.00
G. A. Dube, " "	10.00
David Daneau, " "	10.00
Alphonse Lacasse, dog tax,	81.00
J. G. Bartlett, collector,	7,591.63
County aid to paupers,	959.72
Aid to dependent soldiers,	338.77
State of New Hampshire, railroad tax,	251.54
Savings bank tax,	693.89
Literary fund,	52.50
Cash from Frank Jones for water-works,	1,862.90
H. K. Barnes, freight on hose,	5.45
State treasurer, bounty on hawks,	1.75
Kassid Nances, license,	2.00
John B. Haselton, one half liquor fines,	95.00
Total,	<u>\$12,497.05</u>
Paid out on orders drawn by the selectmen and num- bering from 1 to 157 inclusive,	<u>12,152.45</u>
Balance in the treasury, Feb. 15, 1897,	<u>\$344.60</u>

C. E. DALTON,
Town Treasurer.

I have carefully examined the above accounts of the town treasurer, and find them to be correctly cast and properly vouched.

C. H. SMITH,
Auditor.

Allenstown, Feb. 27, 1897.

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

REPORT OF JAMES C. MARDEN, HIGHWAY AGENT.

1896.

Dr.

Apr.	8.	To order on town treasurer,	\$72.24
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By labor, Feb. 15 to Mar. 10,			\$10.50
Paid William D. Marden,			10.25
Frank Hartford,			2.70
John M. Howe,			1.25
John W. Howe,			2.00
J. P. Batchelder,			5.30
O. S. Kimball, for bridge stringers and labor,			6.75
Mrs. M. Keniston, labor and bridge stringers,			11.00
Frank Labonte, sharpening tools,			.60
I. G. Russ, bridge plank,			17.64
Burt Hartford,			4.25
			\$72.24

REPORT OF JOHN S. HAYES, HIGHWAY AGENT.

1896.

Dr.

Apr.	8.	To order on town treasurer,	\$43.94
May	6.	" "	71.93
June	3.	" "	78.05
July	1.	" "	34.45
Aug.	5.	" "	26.70
Sept.	2.	" "	40.15
Oct.	7.	" "	5.87

Nov. 4.	To order on town treasurer,	\$32.75	
Dec. 2.	“ “	14.98	
1897.			
Jan. 6.	“ “	8.25	
Feb. 10.	“ “	30.00	
		<hr/>	\$387.07
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April 1 :			
By labor on highway,		\$15.80	
Paid Samuel McConnell,		1.50	
Robert McConnell,		9.37	
William Prescott,		.60	
A. Girard,		6.22	
William D. Marden,		3.95	
John P. Batchelder,		5.00	
James C. Marden,		1.50	
		<hr/>	\$43.94
May 1 :			
By labor on highway,		\$15.25	
Paid William D. Marden,		10.50	
John P. Batchelder,		6.30	
John M. Howe,		3.00	
John W. Howe,		2.75	
George Cass, sharpening tools,		.50	
George Beede,		.15	
F. S. Hayes,		2.25	
Robert McConnell,		8.00	
Fellows & Son, lumber,		21.99	
Fellows & Son, spikes,		.50	
Burton Hartford,		.74	
		<hr/>	\$71.93
June 1 :			
By labor on highway,		\$16.00	
Paid William D. Marden,		14.00	
George Towns,		1.50	
Robert McConnell,		1.50	
Samuel McConnell		2.75	
F. S. Hayes,		3.00	

Paid Mrs. M. B. Keniston, team,	\$11.50	
John W. & J. M. Howe,	14.50	
F. E. Hartford,	.75	
Charles Lovejoy,	9.00	
T. P. Dozois, repairing tools,	.75	
A. Girard,	2.80	
	<hr/>	\$78.05
July 1 :		
By labor,	\$13.00	
Paid John P. Batchelder,	5.00	
John Howe,	3.00	
Henry Randall and man,	4.50	
William D. Marden,	.50	
F. S. Hayes,	3.75	
Fellows & Son, spades,	3.75	
T. P. Dozois,	.80	
George Cass,	.15	
	<hr/>	\$34.45
Aug. 5 :		
By labor,	\$13.00	
Paid William D. Marden,	7.00	
John P. Batchelder,	2.70	
S. F. Hayes,	3.75	
T. P. Dozois,	.25	
	<hr/>	\$26.70
Sept. 2 :		
By labor,	\$20.00	
Paid William D. Marden,	7.70	
James C. Marden,	3.75	
John P. Batchelder,	6.85	
F. S. Hayes,	1.85	
	<hr/>	\$ 40.15
Oct. 1 :		
By labor,	\$4.00	
Paid F. S. Hayes,	1.12	
John P. Batchelder,	.75	
	<hr/>	\$ 5.87

Nov. 4 :

By labor,	\$15.00	
Paid John P. Batchelder,	3.75	
James Marden,	3.00	
I. G. Russ, for lumber,	1.00	
William D. Marden,	3.50	
F. S. Hayes,	2.00	
John M. Howe,	1.50	
Charles Lovejoy,	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$32.75

Dec. 2 :

By labor of self,	\$8.50	
Paid William D. Marden,	1.75	
John P. Batchelder,	.60	
John Howe,	1.50	
I. G. Russ,	.20	
F. S. Hayes,	2.43	
	<hr/>	\$14.98

Jan. 1, 1897 :

By labor of self and man,	\$4.50	
Paid F. S. Hayes,	.75	
John P. Batchelder,	2.00	
William D. Marden,	1.00	
	<hr/>	\$8.25

Feb. 10 :

By self and man, with team,	\$9.30	
Paid William D. Marden,	5.50	
John Howe,	2.00	
Mrs. M. B. Keniston, team,	4.00	
F. S. Hayes,	2.00	
J. P. Batchelder,	.45	
B. D. Hartford,	6.75	
	<hr/>	30.00

\$387.07

REPORT OF GEORGE DOWST, HIGHWAY AGENT.

1896.		DR.		
May	6.	To order on town treasurer,	\$52.84	
June	3.	“ “	64.56	
July	1.	“ “	65.31	
Sept.	2.	“ “	22.89	
Oct.	1.	“ “	3.40	
1897.				
Feb.	10.	“ “	12.87	
	15.	“ “	22.53	
			<hr/>	\$244.40
1896.		CR.		
May 1 :				
By labor, self and team,			\$9.55	
Paid Fred Page,			4.12	
S. S. Cass,			.98	
Wm. Lane,			6.70	
John Perkins,			4.12	
J. Hodge, lumber,			18.68	
George Dutton,			1.20	
John Murbey,			1.20	
Charles Foss,			2.29	
John Howe,			4.00	
			<hr/>	\$52.84
June 1 :				
By labor, self, man and team,			\$33.00	
Paid S. S. Cass,			8.25	
William Lane,			3.00	
John Perkins,			12.06	
Fred Page,			6.75	
George Dutton, —			1.50	
			<hr/>	\$64.56
July 1 :				
By labor, self, man and team,			\$42.00	
Paid John Perkins,			4.66	
Paid S. S. Cass,			7.50	
A. L. Ricker,			.50	

Paid Frank Murbey,	\$0.75	
F. A. Page,	3.00	
Henry Randall,	1.50	
William Lane,	4.20	
George Dutton,	1.20	
	<hr/>	\$65.31
Sept. 1 :		
By labor, self and men,	\$13.65	
Paid Fred Page,	1.35	
John Perkins,	5.67	
Samuel Cass,	2.22	
	<hr/>	\$22.89
Oct. 1 :		
Paid Wm. Lane, putting railing on bridge,	\$3.40	
	<hr/>	\$3.40
1897.		
Feb. 10 :		
By self and team,	\$5.18	
Paid Fred Page,	1.74	
John Perkins,	2.41	
Walter Cox,	1.89	
Samuel Cass,	1.65	
	<hr/>	\$12.87
Feb. 15 :		
Paid Fellows & Son, lumber,	\$22.08	
William Lane,	.45	
	<hr/>	\$22.53
		<hr/>
		\$244.40
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REPORT OF CHARLES L. BAKER, HIGHWAY AGENT.

1896.

DR.

Apr. 18.	To order on town treasurer,	\$42.45
June 3.	“ “	85.65
July 1.	“ “	212.30
Oct. 7.	“ “	146.36

Nov. 14.	To order on town treasurer,	\$177.14	
Dec. 2.	“ “	115.39	
1897.			
Feb. 15.	“ “	31.25	
		<hr/>	\$810.54

1896. Cr.

Apr. 1 :			
By self, men and teams,		\$29.75	
Paid Nelson Bean,		3.75	
Daniel Hall,		2.20	
Simon Drew,		2.25	
William Shepard,		1.50	
Louis Batchelder,		3.00	
		<hr/>	\$42.45

June 1 :			
By self, men, and teams,		\$57.50	
Paid Daniel Hall,		15.75	
Nelson Bean,		9.75	
Calvin Dawes,		2.25	
Mrs. W. H. Haseltine, 4 loads of gravel,		.40	
		<hr/>	\$85.65

July 1 :			
By self, men and teams,		\$138.00	
Paid Daniel Hall,		20.25	
Nelson Bean,		12.75	
Calvin Dawes,		10.50	
F. Myers,		1.25	
F. Lakin,		3.75	
J. G. Bartlett, gravel,		3.60	
M. G. Emery, —		2.70	
Peter Caye,		9.00	
D. Silver,		5.25	
John Veilleux,		5.25	
		<hr/>	\$212.30

Aug. 1 :

By self, men and teams,	\$22.75	
Paid Daniel Hall,	5.00	
Nelson O. Bean,	12.00	
D. Silver,	6.50	
	<hr/>	\$46.25

Oct. 1 :

By self, men and teams,	\$52.00	
Paid Daniel Hall,	7.75	
Nelson Bean,	7.75	
D. Silver,	7.75	
Frank Lakin,	9.75	
Fellows & Son,	3.20	
A. N. Osgood, lumber,	11.91	
	<hr/>	\$100.11

Nov. 1 :

By self, men and team,	\$118.50	
Paid N. O. Bean,	4.88	
Daniel Hall,	4.88	
D. Silver,	9.38	
E. Hartford,	8.25	
Fellows & Son,	5.80	
M. G. Emery, gravel,	6.20	
Mrs. Green "brick bats,"	7.50	
Mrs. W. H. Haseltine, gravel,	2.60	
C. A. Bailey,	2.70	
Freight bills,	6.45	
	<hr/>	\$177.14

Dec. 1 :

By self, men and teams,	\$61.75	
Paid Ernest Hartford,	3.50	
Peter Perault,	7.25	
John Marden,	1.20	
Mrs. W. H. Haseltine, gravel,	1.80	
A. N. Osgood, lumber,	39.89	
	<hr/>	\$115.39

1897.

Feb. 15 :

Self, men and teams,	\$19.31	
Paid Warren Sargent,	6.00	
A. N. Osgood, lumber,	.99	
T. P. Dozois, work on tools,	4.95	
	<hr/>	\$31.25
		<hr/>
		\$810.54
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FINANCIAL REPORT.

Financial report of School Board for the school year from August 1, 1895, to August 1, 1896 :

RECEIPTS.

Cash in the hands of the district treasurer at the beginning of the year, August 1, 1895,	\$410.89
Received from the town treasurer between August 1, 1895, and August 1, 1896,	1,449.40
Received from the sale of school-houses, etc.,	59.25
Received for tuition,	2.35
	<hr/> \$1,921.89

PAYMENTS.

Teaching :	
Miss Ellen E. Connor,	\$360.00
Elizabeth A. Abbott,	324.00
Alice M. Haskell,	216.00
Edith L. Sawyer,	108.00
Expenses of teachers attending conventions,	9.25
	<hr/> \$1,017.25
Tuition :	
Pembroke school district,	\$38.50
Epsom school district,	13.50
	<hr/> \$52.00

CARE OF SCHOOL ROOMS.

Henry S. Batchelder,	\$6.35
Gage Haselton,	26.10
Kate Sullivan,	5.75
Lizzie McConnell,	8.85
Mary E. Pickard,	5.50
	<hr/> \$52.55

FUEL.

John Marden,	\$17.50	
F. E. Blodgett,	103.75	
John F. Hayes,	8.50	
Robert McConnell,	4.75	
	<hr/>	\$134.50

SUPPLIES.

J. L. Hammett,	\$1.50	
Franklin Publishing Company,	37.00	
Eugene Lane,	1.25	
Charles P. Morse, furnace,	250.00	
John Marden, storm windows and fitting		
same,	34.11	
Charles H. Smith, cash for supplies furnished		
schools,	3.68	
J. G. Fellows & Son,	4.15	
	<hr/>	\$331.69

REPAIRS.

C. W. Knox,	\$1.50	
Joseph St. John,	5.00	
E. H. Holt,	11.71	
Charles A. Bailey, grading,	180.40	
John Marden, bill for repairs at rural school,	25.65	
Freight on desks,	3.94	
	<hr/>	\$228.20

Total expenditures,	\$1,816.19
Cash remaining in the hands of the district treasurer,	105.70
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	<u>\$1,921.89</u>

I have examined the foregoing accounts of the Allentown school board, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

JOHN H. SULLIVAN,
Auditor.

February 23, 1897.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

The village schools have been taught this year by the same teachers, Miss Ellen E. Connor, and Miss Elizabeth A. Abbott, and under their instruction the pupils have made steady improvement.

The autumn and winter terms at the rural school have been taught by Miss Alice M. Haskell. She failed to win the goodwill of the children and the respect of their parents, and as a natural result the school was not a success.

She was succeeded by Miss Sawyer of Worcester, Mass., who gained the affection of her pupils at the outset, and is doing excellent work in her school.

ROLL OF HONOR.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

First term—Addie M. Sargent, Gage Haselton, Grace M. Smith.

Second term—John W. Young, George Chapman, Waldo Chandler.

Third term—Edith H. Dalton, Grace Smith, Alice Myers.

PRIMARY SCHOOL.

First term—Arie Sullivan.

Second term—Arie Sullivan, Pearl Emery.

Third term—Arie Sullivan, Harriet Blodgett, Pearl Emery, Guy Wiggin.

RURAL SCHOOL.

First term—Nellie Cate, Mary A. Knox.

Third term—Henry R. Roby, Mary A. Knox, Lizzie McConnell.

TOWN LIBRARY.

TRUSTEES' REPORT.

Cash on hand February 15, 1896,	\$5.74	
from librarian,	2.88	
town treasurer,	83.70	
	<hr/>	\$92.32
Paid Houghton, Mifflin & Co., for books,	\$8.25	
Jordan, Marsh & Co. “	3.87	
W. E. Hunt. “	77.30	
Cash on hand, February 15, 1897,	2.90	
	<hr/>	\$92.32

During the year the library has been the recipient of two gifts, a copy of “Samantha at Saratoga,” from Mrs. Elsie G. Green, and a year's subscription to the *Granite Monthly* by the Republican Press Association.

JOHN H. SULLIVAN,
CHARLES H. SMITH,
JENNIE E. BLODGETT,
Library Trustees.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

Whole number of books,	626
Number of books issued,	1,208
Fines collected,	\$1.13
Rental of books,	1.75
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	\$2.88

A. W. SULLIVAN, *Librarian.*

Following are the additions to the town library in 1896 :

FICTION.

	Library number.
Auerbach, Berthold. On the Heights,	F 238
Villa on the Rhine, vol. 1,	F 250
“ “ “ “ 2,	F 251
Austin, Jane G. David Alden's Daughter,	F 230
A Nameless Nobleman,	F 247
Dr. LeBaron and his Daughters	F 248
Barrie, J. M. A Window in Thrums,	F 252
Sentimental Tommy,	F 253
Baker, Sir Samuel. Cast up by the Sea,	F 269
Barr, Robert. In the Midst of Alarms,	F 276
Buchanan, Robert. The Shadow of the Sword,	F 268
Burnett, Frances Hodgson. A Lady of Quality,	F 227
Carey, Rosa N. Heriot's Choice,	F 237
Chambers, Charles W. The Red Republic,	F 254
Collins, Wilkie. The Moonstone,	F 257
Man and Wife,	F 265
Crane, Stephen. The Red Badge of Courage,	F 225
Crawford, F. Marion. Adam Johnstone's Son,	F 226
Crockett, S. R. A Lilac Sunbonnet,	F 272
Doyle, A. Conan. Memoirs of Sherlock Holmes,	F 223
Stark Munro Letters,	F 245
Eliot, Geo. Essays,—Impressions of Theophrastus	
Such, The Veil Lifted, Brother Jacob,	F 278
Daniel Deronda,	F 279
Adam Bede, Felix Holt,	F 280
Romola, Silas Marner,	F 281
The Mill on the Floss, Scenes of Clerical	
Life, Mr. Gilfil's Love Story, Janet's	
Repentance, Life of Geo. Eliot,	F 282
Middlemarch,	F 283
Evans, Augusta J. Beulah,	F 275
Fenn, Geo. Manville. The Master of Ceremonies,	F 262
The Black Tor,	F 277
Ford, Paul L. The Honorable Peter Stirling,	F 274

	Library number.
Fothergill, Jessie. Kith and Kin,	F 260
Frederic, Harold. In the Valley (<i>Scribner's</i> , 1890, vols. 1, 2,	D 21, 22
Harris, Joel Chandler. Sister Jane,	D 271
Holley, Marietta. Samantha Among the Brethren,	D 249
at Saratoga,	D 256
Hope, Anthony. The Prisoner of Zenda,	D 224
Jewett, Sara Orne. The Country of the Pointed Firs,	D 287
Kipling, Rudyard. The Second Jungle Book,	D 231
The Phantom 'Rickshaw,	D 261
Marlitt, E. Lady with the Rubies,	D 234
The Second Wife,	D 264
In the Counsellor's House,	D 235
The Princess of the Moor,	D 267
Macdonald, George. Donald Grant,	D 236
What's Mine's Mine,	D 258
Maclaren, Ian. Beside the Bonnie Brier Bush,	D 221
Kate Carnegie,	D 255
Optic, Oliver. A Missing Million,	F 240
Millionaire at Sixteen,	F 241
A Young Knight Errant,	F 242
Strange Sightings Abroad,	F 243
Phelps, Elizabeth Stuart. A Singular Life,	F 284
Roe, E. P. From Jest to Earnest,	F 244
Russell, W. Clark. Jack's Courtship,	F 259
Sienkiewicz, Henryk. Quo Vadis,	F 286
Smith, F. Hopkinson. Tom Grogan,	F 229
Stevenson, Robert Louis. The Black Arrow,	F 222
Kidnapped,	F 270
Stevenson and Osborne. The Wreckers (<i>Scribner's</i> , 1891, vol. 2, 1892, vol. 1),	D 24, 25
Stowe, Harriet Beecher. The Pearl of Orr's Island,	D 285
Stuart, Ruth McEnery. Sonny,	D 273
Thanet, Octave. Expiation (<i>Scribner's</i> , 1890),	D 21, 22
Wetherell, Elizabeth. Queechee,	D 232
The Wide Wide World,	D 233

	Library number.
Weyman, Stanley J. The House of the Wolf,	D 239
A Gentleman of France,	D 246
Wilkins, Mary E. Madelon,	D 228
Verne, Jules. Michael Strogoff,	D 263
Yonge, Charlotte. Heir of Redcliffe,	D 266
Jerry (<i>Scribner's</i> , 1890, vols. 1, 2),	D 21, 22

JUVENILE FICTION.

Burnett, Frances H. The One I Knew the Best of	
All (<i>Scribner's</i> , 1893, vol. 1),	D 27
Church, A. J. Two Thousand Years Ago,	J 51
Henty, G. A. By England's Aid,	J 50
In Freedom's Cause,	J 58
By Pike and Dike,	J 59
With Wolfe in Canada,	J 60
Kellogg, Elijah. A Stout Heart,	J 63
A Spark of Genius,	J 64
The Sophomores of Radcliffe,	J 65
The Whispering Pine,	J 66
The Turning of the Tide,	J 67
Winning His Spurs,	J 68
May, Sophie. Little Prudy,	J 52
Little Prudy's Sister Susy,	J 53
Little Prudy's Captain Horace,	J 54
Little Prudy's Cousin Grace,	J 55
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Monroe, Kirk. Rick Dale,	J 61
Wiggin, Kate Douglas. Marm Lisa,	J 62

HISTORY.

Brooks, Elbridge S. A Boy of the First Empire,	H 64
Byington, Ezra Hoyt. The Puritans in England and	
New England,	H 69
Earle, Alice Morse. Costumes of Colonial Times,	H 62
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Fiske, John. The American Revolution, vol. 1,	H 70
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Fisher, Sydney George. The Making of Pennsylvania,	II 63
Haynes, Martin A. The History of the Second Reg't,	II 67
Lord, Edwin O. The History of the Ninth Regiment,	II 66
Oliphant, Mrs. The Makers of Venice,	II 60
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Barnaby, Capt. Fred. A Ride to Khiva,	V 52
Cox, S. S. Diversions of a Diplomat in Turkey,	V 50
Davis, Richard Harding. The Rulers of the Mediter- ranean,	V 48
Edwards, Amelia B. One Thousand Miles up the Nile,	V 53
Hearn, Lafcadio. Kokora,	V 47
Higginson, S. J. Java the Pearl of the East,	V 46
Ward, Julius H. The White Mountains.	V 49

BIOGRAPHY.

Bolton, Sarah T. Famous Givers and their Gifts,	B 38
Earle, Alice Morse. Margaret Winthrop,	B 37
Fields, Annie. Authors and Friends,	B 39
Goodwin, Maude Wilder. Dolly Madison,	B 36
Twain, Mark. Joan of Arc,	B 35
John Sullivan,	B 40

ART AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Burroughs, John. A Year in the Fields,	D 30
Ruskin, John. Seven Lamps of Architecture,	D 20
Scribner's Magazine for 1890, vol. 1,	D 21
Scribner's Magazine for 1890, vol. 2,	D 22

	Library number.
Scribner's Magazine for 1891, vol. 1,	D 23
Scribner's Magazine for 1891, vol. 2,	D 24
Scribner's Magazine for 1892, vol. 1,	D 25
Scribner's Magazine for 1892, vol. 2,	D 26
Scribner's Magazine for 1893, vol. 1,	D 27
Scribner's Magazine for 1893, vol. 2,	D 28
Thompson, Maurice. The Boy's Book of Sports,	D 29

REFERENCE.

Ayling, A. D. Register of N. H. Soldiers and Sailors in the Rebellion,	R 30
Batchellor, A. S., State Papers, Town Charters, vol. 25,	R 27
Batchellor, A. S., State Papers, Town Charters, vol. 26,	R 28
Batchellor, A. S., Town Charters, vol. 5,	R 32
Hammond, Isaac W. Provincial and State Papers, vol. 18,	R 26
Year Book of U. S. Department of Agriculture, 1894,	R 23
Year Book of U. S. Department of Agriculture, 1895,	R 31
N. H. Annual Reports, 1895,	R 24
Journals of N. H. Senate and House, 1895,	R 25

SCIENTIFIC.

Proctor, Richard A. Other Worlds than Ours,	S 16
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VITAL STATISTICS.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1896.

Date of birth.	Name of child (if any).	Sex and condition.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
		Male.	Female.							
Jan. 12	Napoleon.....	M.	Living	David Ripeau.....	Ermine Lefebvre....	W.	Allenstown....	Mill operative	Canada.....	Canada.
" 13	Joseph Amadee..	"	"	T. Beauchesne..	Arline Faucher....	"	"	"	"	"
" 22	Joseph Amadee..	"	Stillb'n	Zerabie Baril....	Alfredine Peron....	"	"	"	"	"
" 23	Joseph.....	"	Living	Noe Rondeau....	Anna Lesperance..	"	"	Section hand..	"	"
" 25	Marie D. L.....	"	F.	Jos. Auger.....	Delia L'abbe.....	"	"	Mill operative	"	"
" 27	Joseph W.....	"	"	William Gellinas..	Agathe Fleury.....	"	"	Laborer.....	"	"
" 30	Marie L. R.....	"	"	Jos. Veilleux....	Salomee Cyr.....	"	"	"	"	"
" 31	"	"	"	Lyman Peron.....	Leontine Carotte..	"	"	Clerk.....	England.....	France.
Feb. 1	Joseph G.....	"	Living	John W. Dyer....	Celina Fleury.....	"	"	Laborer.....	Canada.....	Canada.
" 2	Nancy.....	"	"	Edw. Leclaire....	Georgina Verville..	"	"	Tailor.....	"	"
" 7	Marie J.....	"	"	Alex. McDonald..	Rosanna Desroches.	"	"	Mill operative	"	"
" 7	Marie A. A.....	"	"	Victor Leclerc....	Anna Vallee.....	"	"	Laborer.....	"	"
" 12	Louis.....	"	"	Etienne Daneau..	Lea Began.....	"	"	Mill operative	"	"
" 15	Joseph.....	"	"	Thomas Hamel....	Celanise Lefebvre..	"	"	Mill operative	"	"
" 17	Marie Eva.....	"	"	Louis Duhamaine.	Antoinette Raymond	"	"	"	"	"
Mar. 2	Marie.....	"	"	Jos. Verville....	Anna Bonsquet....	"	"	"	"	"
" 3	Aurore.....	"	"	Ernest Garant....	Lumina Vadbouneur.	"	"	"	"	"
" 5	Willie.....	"	"	Calixte Joutras..	Virginie D-silets..	"	"	"	"	"
" 7	Marie Ann.....	"	"	Cyrille Stokes....	Marie Trottier....	"	"	Laborer.....	"	"
" 14	Gracia.....	"	"	Thomas Gamache..	Alphonse Julien....	"	"	Mill operative	"	"
Apr. 7	Marie Elias.....	"	"	Theodore Harnois.	Celanise L'abbe....	"	"	Laborer.....	"	"
" 14	Donat.....	"	"	Damase Couchon..	Marie Grefon.....	"	"	Mill operative	"	"
" 26	Romeo.....	"	"	Geo. Raymond....	E. St. Laurent....	"	"	"	"	"
" 26	Jos. T.....	"	"	Olivier Boisvert..	Vitaline Gagnon..	"	"	Laborer.....	"	"
May 11	Jos. T.....	"	"	Ernest Pelouquin.	Parnette Jolie....	"	"	Carpenter....	"	"
" 22	"	"	"	Ferd. Laprise....	Louise Verville....	"	"	Mill operative	"	"
" 24	Harvey.....	"	"	J. L. Pincine....	Alexina Goulet....	"	"	"	"	"
		"	"	Theodore Hamel..	Elmire Stoke.....	"	"	"	"	"
		"	"	William Auchaire.	Rosanna Fontaine..	"	"	"	"	"
		"	"	William Hughes..	Melina Sylvestre..	"	"	Stone-cutter..	Wales.....	Wales.
		"	"	Onesime Belanger..	Elizabeth.....	"	"	Laborer.....	Canada.....	Canada.
		"	"		Rosilda Mondoux....	"	"			

June	8	F.	Stillb'n Living	5	W.	W.	Allenstown	Mill operative	Canada	Canada.
"	11	Leontine	"	1	"	Rosanna Lupieu	"	"	"	"
"	15	"	"	2	"	Francois Marcotte	"	"	"	"
"	15	Joseph	"	1	"	Almeda M. Martell	"	"	"	"
"	24	Arthur	"	4	"	Marie A. Salvall	"	"	"	"
"	25	Jos.	"	4	"	Apolline Ripeau	"	"	"	"
"	30	Marie	"	4	"	Antoinette Rivard	"	"	"	"
July	4	Haward James	"	4	"	Marie Veilleux	"	"	"	"
"	7	Leda Aldea	"	4	"	Sarah J. Lamette	"	"	"	"
"	9	Louis J. Ernest	"	1	"	Josephine Fontaine	"	"	"	"
"	10	"	"	4	"	Odina Nevell	"	"	"	"
"	10	Marie L. R. D.	Stillb'n	3	"	Emma Lefebvre	"	"	"	"
"	30	Marie A. F.	Living	1	"	Desnelges Dionne	"	"	"	"
Aug.	1	Olive	"	4	"	Celina Martell	"	"	"	"
"	5	Marie Blanche	"	10	"	Aurelie Guertin	"	"	"	"
"	9	Alphonsine M.	"	6	"	Delina Pelletier	"	"	"	"
"	13	Moise	"	16	"	Angèle Belanger	"	"	"	"
"	16	Ervin A.	"	5	"	Ettie A. Lever	"	"	"	"
"	25	Hermingilde	"	1	"	Marie Henar	"	"	"	"
Sept.	3	Marie	"	2	"	Edgar Allie	"	"	"	"
"	5	"	"	6	"	Edgar G. Cote	"	"	"	"
"	9	Jos. Henry	Stillb'n	1	"	Ferd. Plamondon	"	"	"	"
"	21	Alcida	Living	2	"	Alexis Fregeau	"	"	"	"
Oct.	4	John Henry	"	2	"	Rosanna Beaugereard	"	"	"	"
"	6	"	"	2	"	Alma Ettie Watson	"	"	"	"
"	8	Joseph	Stillb'n	4	"	Alice A. Tuttle	"	"	"	"
"	15	Arthur	Living	2	"	Lea Audette	"	"	"	"
"	18	Edmond G.	"	3	"	Rosanna Cadorette	"	"	"	"
"	19	Arthur	"	8	"	V. Courtenne	"	"	"	"
"	19	Ida Helen	"	13	"	Zoe Giguere	"	"	"	"
"	23	Parnelie D.	"	3	"	Mary E. White	"	"	"	"
"	25	Hubert	"	4	"	Parnelie Demers	"	"	"	"
Nov.	31	Marie	"	7	"	Melina Hamel	"	"	"	"
"	14	Marie A. A.	"	4	"	Emire Lefebvre	"	"	"	"
"	21	Eva	"	1	"	Exidia Gagnon	"	"	"	"
"	23	Marie A.	"	2	"	Marie Joyal	"	"	"	"
"	28	Jos. Arthur	"	2	"	Mathalle Gellinas	"	"	"	"
Dec.	1	Laure	"	3	"	Della Montminy	"	"	"	"
"	2	Ruby Evelyn	"	10	"	Anna St. Germain	"	"	"	"
"	7	James A. C.	"	4	"	Mary A. Goding	"	"	"	"
"	8	Lyda E.	"	1	"	Amanda Lemaire	"	"	"	"
"	15	"	"	4	"	Marie Labrecque	"	"	"	"
"	19	Eva	"	1	"	Amelia Robie	"	"	"	"
"	28	"	"	8	"	Florence Yerville	"	"	"	"
"	28	"	"	4	"	Margaret Stirling	"	"	"	"
						Thomas L. Lindsay	"	"	"	"
						John McCarty	"	"	"	"
						Zepherin Leblanc	"	"	"	"
						J. Westley Howe	"	"	"	"
						Elzard Douville	"	"	"	"
						Thomas L. Lindsay	"	"	"	"
						John McCarty	"	"	"	"
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						Elzard Douville	"	"	"	"
						Thomas L. Lindsay	"	"	"	"
						John McCarty	"	"	"	"
						Zepherin Leblanc	"	"	"	"
						J. Westley Howe	"	"</		

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1895.

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
Jan. 20	Allenstown	Felix Boucher	Allenstown	22	W.	Mill operative	Canada.	Pierre Boucher	Canada	.....	1	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,
		Exilda Gagnon	"	18	"	"	"	Hermine Ploude .....	"	.....	
Feb. 12	Nashua	Joseph C. Lacasse.	"	26	"	Clerk.....	Concord	Denis Gagnon.....	"	Carpenter ..	1	Allenstown.
		Elizabeth Newton.	"	26	"	.....	England	Mary Joyal.....	"	Merchant...	1	Rev. Wm. O. Clough,
" 23	Allenstown	Hubert Douville...	"	24	"	Spinner .	Canada	Joseph Lacasse.....	"	.....	1	Nashua.
		Fannie Rose Cunningham.	Chester ...	20	"	.....	Chester	Louisa Bouford.....	England	.....	1	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,
Apr. 13	"	Henry Auger.....	Allenstown	19	"	Laborer	Canada	Emmanuel Newton.....	Canada	.....	2	Allenstown.
		Anna Sarah May...	Bow.....	16	"	.....	Bow	Mary R. Woods.....	"	.....	1	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,
" 27	"	Olivier Duguay....	Allenstown	21	"	Mill operative	Canada	Hubert Douville.....	Chester	Farmer	1	Allenstown.
		Mathilda Martell...	Pembroke..	17	"	"	"	Adelaire Douville.....	"	.....	1	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,
June 3	Epsom	J. Westley Howe...	Allenstown	23	"	Teamster	Manchester	Freeman Fiske.....	"	.....	1	Allenstown.
		Millie A. Robie.....	"	20	"	.....	Pembroke	Alfred Auger.....	Canada	Laborer	1	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,
" 9	Allenstown	Wilbert E. Hamlin.	Lowell, Mass.	21	"	Paper hanger.	Manchester	Philomene Lefebvre.	Peterborough	Farmer	1	Allenstown.
		Maranda Kelsea...	Allenstown	21	"	.....	"	Mary McCarty.....	Ireland	.....	1	Allenstown.
" 9	"	Warren Sargent...	"	53	"	Brick Manuf'r	Allenstown	Alexander Duguay...	Canada	Laborer	1	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,
		Florence L. Brown.	Danversp't, Mass.	43	"	.....	Danversport, Mass.	Marie Martell.....	"	Laborer	1	Allenstown.
								Trefle Martell.....	"	.....	1	Allenstown.
								John M. Howe.....	New Hampshire.	Farmer	1	Rev. J. O. Tasker,
								Eliza Howe.....	Vermont	.....	1	Epsom.
								Edward Robie.....	Hooksett.	Farmer	1	
								Lucinda Howe.....	Randolph, Vt.	.....	1	
								George W. Hamlin...	Rouses Point...	Merchant...	1	Rev. J. L. Fell,
								Emma J. Hamlin...	Allenburg, N. Y.	.....	1	Allenstown.
								E. H. Kelsea.....	Lisbon	Stone-cutter	1	
								Jane M. Kelsea.....	Danbury	.....	2	Rev. H. H. Hartwell,
								Sterling Sargent...	Hooksett	.....	2	Allenstown.
								Sallie Gault.....	Shapleigh, Me.	.....	2	
								James Staples.....	"	.....	
								Julia Ann Mead.....	"	.....	

June 20	Deerfield..	Otis J. Prescott...	Allenstown 66	W. Farmer	Allenstown...	John Prescott..	Deerfield	Farmer	3	Rev. J. W. Studley,
		Sarah A. Thompson	Deerfield.. 54	"	Alexandra..	Eliza Prescott..	Epsom	"	3	Deerfield.
July 12	Allenstown	Esdras Drapeau...	Allenstown 20	"	Canada	Norbert Drapeau..	New Durham..	Laborer	1	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,
" 20	"	Georgina Martell..	" 17	"	"	Sarah Bernard ..	Canada	Farmer	1	Allenstown.
	"	Eugene Boucher...	" 21	"	"	Emmanuel Martell..	"	"	1	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,
Aug. 13	"	Rosilda Cartier ...	" 28	"	"	Flavie Garon.....	"	Farmer	1	Allenstown.
		Pierre Boisvert ...	Wales, Mas. 27	"	"	Hermine Ploude..	"	"	1	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,
		Della Berger.....	Allenstown 18	"	Greenville ...	Alexander Cartier..	"	Farmer	1	Allenstown,
Sept. 7	"	James Blaney.....	" 28	"	Canada	Marie Laramee ..	"	"	1	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,
		Rosalie Gagnon....	" 26	"	"	Olivier Boisvert..	"	Mill operative	1	Allenstown,
" 23	Lowell, Mass.	M. L. Fowler	Pembroke . 33	"	Pembroke	Melle Beaudry ..	"	Farmer	1	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,
		May C. Harrison...	Greenville. 33	"	"	Hildas Berger	"	"	1	Allenstown.
Oct. 6	Allenstown	Alfred Gauthier....	Allenstown 20	"	Canada	Euphémie Boisclair	"	"	1	Rev. James Mudge,
		Cordelia Emond...	" 20	"	New Hamps'r	Grace Boyle	"	"	2	Lowell, Mass.
" 9	"	Olivia Lavasseur....	" 45	"	Canada	Joseph Gagnon....	Canada	Carpenter ..	1	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,
		Hermine Auclair..	" 39	"	"	Clementine Boucher.	"	"	1	Allenstown.
				"	"	Winthrop Fowler..	"	"	1	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,
				"	"	Ann L. Locke	"	"	1	Allenstown.
				"	"	John Beaton.....	"	"	2	Lowell, Mass.
				"	"	Joseph Gauthier ..	Canada	"	1	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,
				"	"	Salomee Lacroix ..	"	"	1	Allenstown.
				"	"	Antoine Emond....	"	"	1	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,
				"	"	Eliza Proulx.....	"	"	1	Allenstown.
				"	"	Francois Lavasseur.	"	"	1	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,
				"	"	Madeline Lemire ..	"	"	1	Allenstown.
				"	"	Pierre Auclair.....	"	"	1	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,
				"	"	Marceline Brodeur..	"	"	1	Allenstown.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1896.

Date of death.	Age.			Place of birth.	Condition.		Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.
	Years.	Months.	Days.		Sex.	Color.		Father.	Mother.		
Jan. 3 Delphine A. Renaud.....	17	20	Allenstown.....	F.	W.	S.	.....	United States..	Canada	Narcis Renaud.....	Deph. Beauchesne.
13 Amanda Noreau.....	3	.....	"	"	"	"	.....	Canada	"	Joseph Noreau.....	Marie Guernon.
" 16 Marie P. Couchon.....	19	.....	Canada.....	"	"	"	.....	"	"	Damase Couchon.....	Delia L'Abbe.
" 25 Marie D. L. Auger.....	71	1	Allenstown.....	"	"	"	Housewife.	Amherst.....	Goffstown.....	Joseph Auger.....	Betsie Saltmarsh.
Mar. 6 Mary Jane Dennison.....	32	.....	Canada.....	"	"	"	.....	Canada.....	Canada.....	James Putnam.....	Elsie Noel.
" 7 Agnes Cadoret.....	22	.....	Allenstown.....	"	"	"	.....	Wales.....	England.....	Celestue Cadoret.....	Judith Benoit.
" 26 Hughes.....	22	.....	Canada.....	"	"	"	.....	Canada	Canada	William Hughes.....	Marie Veilleux.
May 30 Delina Boucher.....	82	.....	Allenstown.....	"	"	"	.....	"	"	Charles Laberge.....	Rosanna Desroches.
" 30 Josephine Langlois.....	5	.....	Canada.....	"	"	"	.....	"	"	Alex. McDonald.....	Odina Neveu.
July 2 Nancy McDonald.....	15	.....	Allenstown.....	"	"	"	.....	"	"	Albert Duford.....	Exorite Ouellette.
" 10 Tedea A. Nolin.....	4	19	"	M.	"	"	.....	"	"	Pierre Nolin.....	Marie Trottier.
" 21 Aurore Stoke.....	8	7	"	F.	"	"	.....	"	"	Cyrille Stoke.....	Antoinette Rivard.
" 21 Joseph A. Duhamel.....	1	.....	"	"	"	"	.....	"	"	Joseph Duhamel.....	Ernest St. Laurent.
" 26 Gracie Raymond.....	67	.....	Canada .....	"	"	"	.....	Ireland	"	George Raymond.....	Marguerite Valliere.
Aug. 9 Edouard Connor.....	27	.....	"	M.	W.	"	.....	Canada	"	Edward Connor.....	Marcelline Vasseur.
" 13 Ernest Garant.....	45	.....	Allenstown.....	"	"	"	.....	"	"	Louis Garant.....	Apolline Ripectu.
" 23 Ella F. Sweatt.....	7	.....	Northfield.....	F.	"	"	.....	Pembroke.....	"	Joseph Simonds.....	Nancy Abbott.
Sept. 13 Howard J. Gilbert.....	11	.....	Allenstown.....	M.	"	"	.....	Vermont.....	"	Edward J. Gilbert.....	Sarah J. Lamiette.
" 21 Eugene Hamel.....	11	.....	Canada .....	"	"	"	.....	Canada	"	Napoleon Hamel.....	Lumina Proulx.
" 30 Eugene Arcand.....	11	.....	Allenstown.....	"	"	"	.....	"	"	Joseph Arcand.....	Delina Audette.
Oct. 6	2	.....	"	"	"	"	.....	Allenstown.....	"	.....	Alice A. Cate.
" 20 Esther G. Gilbert.....	2	.....	"	F.	"	"	.....	New Hampshire	"	Edward J. Gilbert.....	Sarah J. Lamiette.
" 20 Ida Helen Chapman.....	1	.....	"	M.	"	"	.....	England	"	Horace Chapman.....	Mary E. White.
Nov. 7 Zoel Alie.....	51	.....	Pembroke	F.	"	"	.....	Canada	"	Louis Dube.....	Elma Ladouceur.
" 6 Arthur C. Dube.....	31	.....	Canada .....	"	"	"	.....	"	"	Jean Bie. Alie.....	Amanda Lemaire.
Dec. 9 James A. C. McCarty.....	2	.....	Allenstown.....	"	"	"	.....	Ireland	"	John McCarty.....	Mellie Allard.
" 11 Pamelie Emond.....	3	.....	Canada	F.	"	"	.....	Canada	"	Magloire Demers.....	Fleur ne Verville.
" 25 Eva Douville.....	2	.....	Allenstown.....	"	"	"	.....	"	"	Elzard Douville.....	Nathilda Joyal.
" 30 Lona Boucher.....	2	.....	Canada .....	"	"	"	.....	"	"	Denis Boucher.....	.....

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief,
ALPHONSE N. LACASSE, Town Clerk.



